# NATTERSALL'S LUB MAGAZINE



THE OFFICIAL ORGAN OF TATTERSALL'S CLUB, SYDNEY



## Chairman's Message

Once again the year has run its full chequered course and Christmas is with us. Now is the traditional time for a sincere exchange of greetings between friends everywhere and so it is between your Club committee and yourselves.

I would therefore like to wish you all the happiest of Christmases on behalf of every member of your committee and on my own behalf. I would also like to extend this wish to the members of your families and hope that the true spirit of Christmas pervades your homes and brings you the peace, happiness and affection that characterizes this time of the year.

To those of our members who reside in the country, in other States and overseas, I would like to send a special greeting. This comes, not only from the Club committee and myself, but also from the other Club members who may not have the opportunity of wishing you the compliments of the season in person over the pre-Christmas period.

From us all too goes a special greeting to those of our members and friends who are in ill health at this time. May Christmas mark the beginning of good health and happiness for you all.

So to members everywhere, their families and our Club's good friends, a MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Frank Harbury

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### SECRETARY'S CAR "POSTED"

The habitual urbanity of Secretary Lyal Binns was unusually ruffled during two or three days last month and in answer to the hundreds of enquiries which have come in regarding this disturbing state of affairs we are now permitted to print the full story. It appears that Lyal has been in the habit of bringing his car to town every day; in fact, he had not left it home any day during the year until last month when, in compliance with a request from Carmel, his wife, he abandoned it for her use. Most regrettably, and in accordance with the best traditions of misguided magazine cartoonists, she ran it into a post, occasioning considerable damage to the vehicle which Lyal holds dear to his heart. Up to the time of writing we were unable to obtain from Lyal a coherent confirmation or denial of the vicious rumour that he had not spoken to Carmel for three days. From information obtained from informed sources we can only regretfully conclude that it is only too true.

### NORM CLARK AND FAMILY ON HOLIDAY

At present in the United States with his wife, Joan, and daughter, Jill, is Norm Clark, to which country they went for a "short" holiday. Norm, who is managing director of the well known building firm of James Wallace, left with his family late in October, but still plans to be back in time to have a Christmas drink with his friends in the Club. Although by no means a lengthy sojourn, the Clark family feel they can pack it with interest and pleasure, a thought to which all Norm's Club friends heartily subscribe.

### RACING SCRIBE OFF TO ENGLAND

Racing journalist John Schofield and Mrs. Schofield are booked to leave for England at the end of December. So far as John is concerned it will be a working holiday because he will take the opportunity to see all the major racecourses of Europe, and certainly all the major studs. He will continue to write for Australian papers and periodicals while he is away. However, the couple has a special interest in London. Their son Bill. like the old man a newspaper journalist, is married and lives in London. Plans are that the couple will be abroad for at least 12 months, and possibly a little longer.

## TREASURER BACK ON DECK AFTER ILLNESS

It was a real pleasure to see Treasurer, Alick Buckle, back on deck again after his recent operation, looking, if anything, even better than before he went away. Major surgery of the type Alick underwent is no fun at any time, but at least there was a silver lining to his cloud for he met with a stroke of luck while in hospital. Each year, Alec Gilison runs a raffle for the Sub-Normal Children's Appeal, and each year our Treasurer supports it by taking tickets. This year, the raffle was drawn while Alick was in hospital, and up came his number for first prize, a Holden car. All members offer their hearty congratulations, Alick, firstly on your lucky win, but, more importantly, on your positive return to good health and to the affairs of the Club.

### CLUB ROOM TENOR

We were unable to find out exactly what prompted it, but members on the first floor one day last month were treated to a brief but melodious vocal recital by . . . Manny Lyons. Yes, Manny gave forth with a confident and competent solo much to the delight of the other members of his party. Well, Manny, we have not heard heretofore of your singing prowess, but feel that now your talents are known request numbers will be coming in thick and fast.

### HEARING ADJOURNED

Committeeman Alf Collins has a fund of stories and reminiscences at his disposal as most of his many friends know. One we thought T.C.M. readers would be interested in particularly concerned Eugene Gorman, the noted Q.C., whose interest in the Sport of Kings was well known. It appears that on a certain midweek race day he was conducting the defence for a gentleman appearing on a false pretences charge. Early in the afternoon Eugene informed the bench that one of his witnesses had to come from the country and had not yet arrived. He therefore requested an adjournment, to which His Honour, a Jurist whose name would be well known to many, agreed. As the court was clearing and Eugene was packing up his papers, the Judge's Tipstaff, after a whispered consultation with His Honour, hurried over to Eugene. "Excuse me, Mr. Gorman," he said in a stage whisper, "But His Honour said he wants a tenner with you, please."

### UNLUCKY AGAIN

Lottery wise at least, we must have taken the prize for the unluckiest club in Sydney over the last month. You'll perhaps recall our paragraph in the last issue of 'T.C.M. in which we reported the misfortune of Sam Block and Les Tidmarsh who were a bare one off first prize in the £12,000 lottery. Well it's happened again but this time to Clive Spinks. We sympathize with you wholeheartedly Clive but if you want some real brotherly commiseration, go and see Sam and Les. Might we modestly suggest that you three join forces and buy a ticket to be called "The One Offers." You never know.

## **APPRECIATION FOR CLUB'S HOSPITALITY**

As most members know we offered our hospitality in the form of honorary membership to those distinguished members of the dental profession from overseas who represented their countries at the recent International Congress held here in Australia. This gesture was greatly appreciated by those who attended and we have had many formal and informal expressions of thanks as a result. The thoughts expressed are summarized in a letter we received from club member, Dr. A. Gordon Rowell, in his capacity as President of the Australian Dental Association. He says:

"Would you accept my appreciation, and convey to your Committee, my thanks for your kind hospitality at the Club during the Congress. The gesture made by the Club in admitting members of Congress to Honorary Membership and the hospitality provided during the week was a contributing factor in bringing much pleasure to many of the members of Congress."

A letter in similar vein was received from another of our members, Dr. L. Emmet McDermott, in his capacity as President of the N.S.W. branch of the association.



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## KEN FIDDEN DUE BACK FROM WORLD TRIP

Such is the speed of travel these days that Ken Fidden is actually due back from an extensive world trip even before we've had the chance to report that he'd left. Ken is chief of R.C.A. as most members know and his trip was on behalf of that company. It took in many countries including England, the U.S.A. and Europe. Accompanying Ken was his wife, Thelma, and from all reports they are enjoying the tour immensely. When heard from at the end of last month they were in London preparatory to flying home so by the time this paragraph is in print they should both be with us again, which gives us the opportunity of saying: "Welcome home Ken and Thelma."

## IAN BUCHANAN SUFFERS BAD FALL

We are sorry to have to report that member Ian Buchanan suffered a very bad fall from the first floor window of a building when travelling on the North Coast of N.S.W. last month. This resulted in a broken arm, fractured hip which had to be pinned, and a serious skull fracture. Fortunately they were able to fly Ian home and he is now in Royal North Shore hospital. His condition was reported as serious when this paragraph was written last month. All members wish you a speedy recovery Ian and hope that you will be back in the Club soon.

## HARRY TANCRED PASSES AWAY

It was indeed a blow to his many friends in Tattersall's to hear last month of the death of well known turf personality Harry Tancred. Chairman of the Sydney Turf Club for six years until ill health forced his retirement in 1959, and noted owner, he was admired and respected by all those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. Harry's death at his home at Bellevue Hill terminated a long illness. Both the Turf and the Meat Industry in Australia, in which he was a prominent figure, will be the poorer for the passing of this colourful personality and Tattersall's has lost a valued member whom many of us were proud to call friend.

### RAY RILEY IN TOWN

All too rarely do we see Ray Riley in the Club since he adopted Melbourne as his place of residence some years ago. That's why it was a real treat for his friends when Ray paid a visit last month and spent much of his leisure time in Tattersall's. It gave many of us a chance to renew an acquaintance which we have always valued highly.

## SAM HERFORD'S SON TO ROW FOR AUSTRALIA

Sam Herford's chest has been stuck out just a little further than normal for some weeks now, and who can blame him for his son Gary was selected to represent Australia in the Mosman eight oar crew which is presently touring New Zealand. By the time this paragraph is in print we will probably know how our boys are faring. In the meantime we wish them the best of luck and a successful tour. Hearty congratulations also to Sam and Gary.

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### CALLING CARD EXTRAORDINARY

Recently elected Club-member Tim Renensson took a unique calling card with him when he left Australia recently for a business trip through the East. It took the form of a small booklet put out by the News and Information Bureau and was titled, "Australia in Brief." As this suggests, it contained condensed but comprehensive information on our country, and was edited and compiled to sketch in our background quickly for those not familiar with it. Tim planned to use the booklet as a "calling card," sending it in or presenting it to all his business contacts during the trip. In this way Tim not only provided himself with an interesting introduction, but also helped to spread the "Australian Story" along the way. Congratulations on an interesting and patriotic idea, Tim, and good wishes for a very successful trip.

## ALLEN FAMILY ON TOUR OF EAST

Popular member W. C. Allen together with his wife and son Billy set off early in December on the "Oronsay," for a tour of the East which will take in Malaya and India. Billy recently completed his leaving certificate examination and his father felt that the opportunity of seeing cities and centres in the East, where a considerable amount of our country's trade must lie in the future, would be valuable to him. Members wish the Allen family a happy and instructive trip and a safe return to our shores early in the New Year.

### REG ALDERSON BACK WITH US

Everyone who knows him realizes how senior member, Reg Alderson, dearly loves his regular visits to the Club and his association with his friends in the corner of the first floor. So much does he hate to miss these visits that he wasn't out of hospital the proverbial "two minutes" before he was back with us again in his accustomed place. It was a pleasure indeed to have you with us once more Reg looking none the worse for your hospitalization.

## JUDGE HOLDEN RETURNS

It was indeed a pleasure to see Judge Holden back in the Club again after his recent trip overseas. The Judge travelled through England and Europe, on many occasions by car, and enjoyed his trip tremendously. Although it was purely for pleasure and he did little in his official capacity, he visited Scotland Yard where he was immensely impressed by this famous organization's operations. He said their police car dispatch and tracking was a masterpiece of organization. It enabled every controller to know exactly where every car was every minute of the day or night. The Judge was accompanied by his wife and daughter on his tour and one of the things that impressed them all was the great hospitality and kindness of the Irish people. On one occasion when illness made it necessary for the Judge to extend his hotel booking at the last minute, not only did the manager go to considerable trouble to arrange the accommodation, but refused to accept any payment for the extra time; an attitude that is rarely found in commercial organizations anywhere in the

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## Spring Casualties Helped Lord Fury to Cup Win

Lord Fury beat one of the poorest fields of stayers of recent Melbourne Cups at Flemington on November 7, but the extenuating factor was that, leading all the way, he equalled Comic Court and Evening Peal's two mile record  $3.19\frac{1}{2}$  made in 1950 and equalled in 1956.

A great colt arose from Spring racing, Summer Fair, but unfortunately a splint developed to put him out of the Derby and Melbourne Cup.

He raced right away from Lord Fury at the end of the Caulfield Cup in fast time, 2 28 for the mile and a half, which poses the question—"What would he have done to Lord Fury and the rest of the Melbourne Cup field?"

Another colt of outstanding potential was also a Spring casualty, King Brian. He had beaten Summer Fair decisively in the Rosehill Guineas and the Caulfield Guineas. But he broke down before the Derby and Melbourne Cup, or there might have been totally different results.

A luxury weight, 7 8, for a four-yearold weight for age winner gave Lord Fury a flying advantage in the 1961 Melbourne Cup which he used to such great purpose that he demoralised his rivals. Unfaltering at any stage he maintained his lead to win by 1½ lengths, travelling better at the end than any of his pursuers.

It was a fine performance which reflected credit upon F. B. Lewis, his young Sydney trainer, for the steady development he helped the horse to make from defeat by Trigon Wood in a Rosehill Welter in September to the peak of racehorse ambition and endeavour, the £15,750 first prize for a Melbourne Cup.

To prove the point with which this critique began, that the field was far below the best standards, second place in the Cup went to Grand Print, a four-year-old who had won four races as a plodding stayer. The Cup's good performance was that of Dhaulagiri, who ran third with 95. He struggled hard and gamely against the odds of such fast time. And was rewarded five days later when he turned the tables upon Lord Fury in the C. B. Fisher Plate in which he made a new Flemington record, 2 27\frac{3}{4}, for a mile and a half.

The Spring saw the development of two notable two-year-olds, Proud Miss a filly who has won seven races already,



Lord Fury's all-the-way success in the Melbourne Cup on November 7, from Grand Print and Dhaulagiri who came on the scene too late.



Summer Fair bouncing away from rivals in his Caulfield Cup victory on October 21. Lord Fury, second, went on to Melbourne Cup triumph.

Bogan Road who won four, and the three-year-old filly, Indian Summer, who won the Mainfold Stakes, Two Thousand Guineas, Wakeful and Oaks.

Another three-year-old who may later rank among the racehorse greats succumbed to injury—Summer Fair. He got the AJC Derby on protest from Blue Era and then brilliantly raced away from Caulfield Cup opposition. Unfortunately a splint prevented his fulfilling his engagements in the Derby and Cup, but race fans will look forward to a bright future for the colt when he overcomes the splint trouble.

Sky High was the notable sprinter with sucess in "the Daily Telegraph" Stakes, Epsom and Mackinnon Stakes, but he failed to stay the two miles of the Melbourne Cup under 9 5 and was beaten nearly five furlongs from home.

Lord Fury's trainer, Frank Lewis, followed a family tradition when he won the Melbourne Cup. His father, Bert Lewis, was a foremost pony trainer and his biggest success was also in Melbourne, with Education in the Ascot Thousand.

Frank was a Flight Lieutenant in the R.A.A.F. during World War II and was the only retired jockey in history to get an Air Force Commission. He was one of four chosen from his Air Gunnery course to train as a Navigator and thenceforth flew operations in all parts of the world.

Increasing weight put him out of raceriding early, but he enjoyed the distinction of winning the Royal Stakes at Randwick, a weight for age race, on 1938 Caulfield Cup winner, Buzalong.

World War II over he went straight into training and soon made his mark. He won the 1958 Doncaster with Grenoble and his ability to keep that old horse in winning form under increasing weights was a tribute to his training skill.

The high-spot of the yearling sales,



The 7,000 gns. yearling, Tulloch's Sister, easily winning the Maltine Stakes, her first success, at Warwick Farm on November 11. Lowland Lass was second.

Tulloch's Sister, who cost 7,000 gns, did not race during the Spring carnivals, but she opened her winning account impressively in the Maltine Stakes at Warwick Farm on November 11, and could improve to a high standard before long.

There is little resemblance to Tulloch in colour or looks. He is a rich dark bay, very solidly constructed. Tulloch's Sister is a light chestnut and as yet, fragile, but her minute flat for the five

furlongs in her Maltine win proved she has above-average speed.

The Maltine Stakes, by the way, is named for a famous mare of 50 years ago who won the 1909 Metropolitan and many other notable events at weight for age for the late John S. Brunton, a popular sporting figure of his time, a popular of racing who bought his yearlings in the most expensive markets in Australia and New Zealand.

## CLUB NEWS & VIEWS

## C. E. BLAYNEY MISSED FROM CLUB

Those members who know him, and they are many, have sorely missed the presence of popular member, C. E. Blayney, from the Club in recent months. The reason is that he has spent quite a long spell in St. Vincent's Hospital, and, although he has been making excellent progress since his discharge in September, doctor's orders are that he must go quietly for some time to come. He is not allowed into the City and this prohibition has prevented him from attending his regular Club luncheons with his good friends, Bill Hill, A. C. W. Hill, Arthur Chartres and Judge Herron. Mr. Blayney sends his kind regards and seasonal greetings to his Club friends and says that he hopes to be back with us early in the New Year. All here at Tattersall's reciprocate your welcome greetings and wish you a speedy and complete recovery.

## MEMBER TO VISIT BOYS' CLUBS ON WORLD TRIP

Club-member, Arthur Greenhalgh, intends to spend a considerable amount of his time visiting Boys' Clubs during a round-the-world trip on which he set out last month. Arthur is a senior Committeeman of the Police Citizens Boys Club movement in N.S.W., and has done fine work for this organization during his term of office. His world trip is a private one, but his interest in the movement is such that he is prepared to devote a considerable amount of his own time to gathering information on the organization and operation of overseas boys' clubs which could prove valuable in helping the local body in its general approach. Arthur Greenhalgh, as many members know, is from the Beach Hotel in Newcastle. He is well known as a racehorse owner, and has at present in training in Brisbane a colt by Wilkes which he has named Wilkes Son. Arthur said before he left that the Police Boys Club in his home city anticipated building a very modern club and he would also gather information which would help this project. All members wish you a very pleasant and profitable trip, Arthur, and congratulate you on your altruistic efforts on behalf of the Police Boys Club movement.

### DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

It was our very great pleasure indeed to have as a visitor in the Club last month, one-armed Harry Bennett, Secretary of the Limbless Soldiers Association. It is Harry's job to help guide the destinies of the body which brings together those all too often forgotten veterans of our wartime armies who were maimed in their country's service. The spirit which exists in this association and the Limbless Soldiers' Club through which the members join together in competitive sport and other activities is one which can very well set an example to all of us who are more fortunate. The members of Tattersall's would like to salute your very fine association, Harry, and through you pass on their good wishes to all its members

## TATTERSALL'S WELCOME New N



The evening of Thursday, occasion for the many people white first floor for it marked their Tattersall's. This welcome to the customary form of a cockta of a year's long wait for those

The party was a great succ a busy time as they mingled wi to know as many faces and nan

Chairman, Frank Carberry, a warm and sincere welcoming who were sons of members. We through the pages of your Club have recently joined us a long we are all truly proud.

Unfortunately it was imporpictures of all those present at to identify those who have appornot, your welcome to our number of the control of





## embers at club cocktail party

November, was a memorable thered in our club room on the cial welcome as members of newly-elected members was in arry which represented the endent.

though our committeemen had e guests in the hope of getting possible.

ressed the gathering and made h with a special word for those d like to reiterate this welcome gazine and wish all those who happy stay in a Club of which

thering. It was also impractical. But rest assured that, picture is is equally warm and sincere.







## Traditional "Winooka" for New Year

While our "Good Idea" competition moves on apace and is scheduled to come to what we hope will be an exciting climax early in January, we are all looking forward to the commencement of one of the oldest events in the handball calendar, the "Winooka."

Entries are being taken for "The Winooka" Trophy to commence in January, 1962. This is a handicap event for a trophy donated by Ted Forest and Steven Blau, the Executors of the Estate of the Late Joe Matthews. Entries close on December 22nd, 1961. An entry form is displayed on the notice board on the 3rd floor. All intending competitors are asked to sign their names on this form before December 22nd as entries definitely close on that date. For the information of new members and also some not so new I would like you to know that "The Winooka" Trophy is one of our oldest events. It was donated originally by Joe Matthews who owned "Winooka" winning many races with him in Australia and America. Both Joe Matthews and "Winooka" were champions in every sense of the word. After the death of Mr. Matthews his Executors, Ted Forest and Steven Blau, continued to donate the trophy for annual competition. To these gentlemen we say "Thank You." To the members competing I say make this a very exciting event.

The "Good Idea" Competition has progressed further and an effort is being made to finalize this event early in January. Games played during the month

have produced some wonderful handball. Eric Comrie-Thomson had two grand wins and has reached the semi finals. In the first match he defeated Les Bear 41/38 after a very good game and his second win was over John Devitt by 43/41. This was a marvellous win because John had it won everywhere but at the post. He led from the commencement and was still in front with the scores at 40/38. Eric made a supreme effort to draw level at 40/40 only to lose the lead again to trail 40/41 drew level again at 41/41 and went on to win 43/41. A grand match indeed.

Robert Lipman had no trouble to defeat Peter Lindsay 41/28.

Ken Glass had a much harder task to win over Syd Kay 43/41. This pair are old rivals and can always be depended upon to put up a good show. This was no exception and the scores 43/41 indicate how close it really was.

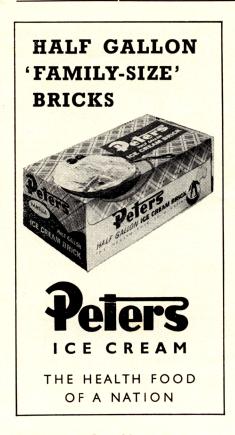
Bruce Partridge defeated Andy McGill 41/37. This also was a grand match between two hard hitters. Bruce deserves a "pat" for winning from a handicap of -7 against an opponent of Andy's ability.

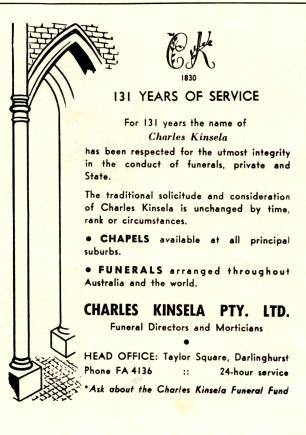
I regret having to report a couple of

casualties since these matches were played. Ken Glass has injured his right shoulder and John Dexter (Junior), has had an operation on his appendix. Both these chaps may have to withdraw from this competition. We sincerely hope not and we extend our best wishes to them for a speedy recovery. Also at this moment my thoughts are with our genial swimming organizer John Dexter (Senior). John has not been well for a couple of weeks and is taking things easier until Christmas. We miss his happy smile around the third floor and we are looking forward to seeing him again very soon. A big "Cheerio" from the Handballers to you John.

Well Christmas and New Year are approaching very quickly and I cannot allow this issue of the Magazine to pass without wishing the Chairman of Tattersall's Club and his Committee, all Members of our Club, the Staff of the Club and the wives and families of all you good people, a very Happy Christmas. May the New Year bring much happiness and many blessings.

These wishes come to you from the Handball Club Committee — Norm Rogers, Sam Block and Arthur McCamley.





## Prize Presentation by Chairman

On the evening of December 14th, at 5.30 p.m., we are fortunate in having our Club Chairman, Frank Carberry, to present our billiards and snooker trophies. The presentation will take place in the board room on the second floor.

We've no doubt that there will be many a game re-played on that night, many a black re-pocketed and many a victory re-lived.

While it is only too obviously true that lady luck plays a major and deciding part in the twin games of billiards and snooker it is also true that she seems to follow ability very closely. This becomes apparent when we see the old brigade of tried and true cueists line up each year for their share of the titles.

This year was no different for the recipients of the trophies on December 14th, will be:

**Billiards Championship:** W. H. LONG-WORTH.

Runner Up: A. J. CHOWN.

Snooker Championship: W. H. LONG-WORTH.

Runner Up: K. D. McDONALD.

Billiards Handicap: W. H. LONG-WORTH.

Runner Up: H. H. TONKS.

Third Place: B. M. LANE.

Fourth Place: N. R. PLOMLEY.

Snooker Handicap: E. M. ADNAM.

Runner Up: C. DOWNWARD.

Third Place: W. R. DOVEY.

Fourth Place: N. JACOBS.

As the year draws to a close I think we can all feel happy indeed that interest in our billiards and snooker activities has continued to increase. With our plans for next year now well under way we can all look forward to an interesting year which will bring even more interested members under our banner.

## COACHING

All those interested in improving their game or getting pointers on methods of play will be interested to hear that a professional coaching programme is now being arranged with Warren Simpson, well known professional.

Details have not been finalized as yet so watch the notice board for full details.





## Inter-Club Snooker Team

The picture above shows Tattersall's Inter-Club snooker team. In this event the major clubs of Sydney play for the shield which is illustrated on this page. It was won this year by the Royal Automobile Club of Australia with Tattersall's as the runners up. From left to right in the photo team members are: Ken McDonald, Bert Tonks, Roy Bryden, Jack O'Neill, Vince Kirby, John Peoples and Peter McGrath. Unfortunately Tom Farrar the other member of the team was absent when this photograph was taken.

## NOTICE TO GOLFERS

As a result of many requests from Members to form a Tattersall's Club Golf Club, it has been suggested by the Committee that any member interested should communicate with the Secretary. If sufficient members nominate in this way arrangements will be made for a meeting early in the New Year at which the formation of a club can be discussed.

## Waverley Game Washed Out

November saw an even month in the Bowling Section. Our major event again at Waverley was washed out. We entertained Waverley for lunch at Double Bay but down came the rain and that was the end of the Bowls.

This was the 14th consecutive year we have returned the hospitality of the Waverley Bowling Club with honours even with 14 games all. President Gordon Booth had all his best bowlers lined up and was set for the kill against Waverley but the best laid plans often go astray.

## NOVEMBER TROPHY WINNERS

Trophy games were held on Thursdays as usual. November 2nd winners were: Peter McGash, Homer Jones and Noel Hough.

November 9th saw Noel Hough again a winner with his team of Joe Lee and Lew Moss. Visitors for that day were Dr. W. Berns, B. Abott, D. Seibel, D. Gouldston, C. Moyes, R. Sobel and H. Childers.

New member, Clive Hoole, was welcomed by President Gordon Booth.

Sol Barrow also joined up with the bowling section. Sol is only a

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Free Metropolitan Delivery Country Orders Executed Promptly new member of Tattersall's Club. He comes from City Tatts where he has held office in the bowling section of that Club. He will be a good asset to the Club in general and may he long enjoy the hospitality in all sections of the Club.

Charlie Cohen nearly made the bowler of the month. He only had to win the final of the Double Bay Club's handicap singles to make it. He was beaten 31 to 18 in the final and did not perform up to his usual. Sunday play after a few bad results at the races did not help him but never mind Charlie you getting closer to the Bowler of the month.

Tim Renensson enjoys his game with Tattersall's. There is no better sign than regular attendance to signify that.

It looks as if we have lost the Chief (Fred Vockler) from the bowling section. A new love in the shape of a 22 foot cruiser has won him over. He calls it the "Kay Vee" and guests can be assurred of plenty of hospitality in liquid form.

Congratulations to Jack Kellaway and Harold Hill in being selected to play for N.S.W. against Queensland. It's a new experience for Jack and certainly well deserved but for Harold it is just another occasion.

Two Tattersall's members fought out the Minor Championship of Double Bay on Sunday, November 12th. Winner was Bill Munro who beat Issie Green, 31 to 30.

Mel Watson and Cedric Emanuel are in the semi finals of the Double Bay Club's Singles Championship. It could also easily be an all Tattersall's affair.

Cedric skippered a Double Bay four to win the Central and Eastern Suburbs Championship. In his team were Max Valkenberg, Noel Hough and Bernie Larkin. Three out of four Tattersall's Club bowlers. It's a good effort as the competition is classed as a major event in the bowling world.

The Bowling Section's Annual Dinner Dance was held on Monday, November 2nd. It was voted the best night ever. 140 were present. President Gordon Booth welcomed Tatt's Club Chairman Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carberry at the official table.

Other committeemen present were Treasurer Alick and Mrs. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. Geoff Eastment, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCamley, Mr. Alf Collins and daughter, Dr. M.Collins, Mr. H. (Barney) Fay and Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neill.

The catering and floor show were up to the Club's usual high standard. The night's highlight was the Xmas gift and greeting card presented to all ladies present.

Congratulations due to your organisation.



## **BEAR WINS FIRST POINTS SCORE**

Dr. Les Bear literally clawed his way to victory in the Point Score last month with a convincing 25 points. The finish which won him the final was nearly a triple dead heat and Les managed to chalk up a third by the proverbial "clipped fingernail." He downed newcomer, Jack McNally, and Bob Harris each with 24 points.

McNally who had scored the possible with three 1sts unfortunately had to be in Melbourne on business (not the Cup). Better luck next time Jack.

Nice to see a welcome return to form by Bob Harris who managed to catch the judges' eye in three of the first five races.

The lads have really been flashing over the 40 yards dash since the season's beginning, some of the fastest times being John Devitt 17.5 and 17.8, David Emanuel 18.7, Paul Blake (an excellent swim) in 18.8, Bill Kendall 19.

Last season's "Native Son" trophy winner Norm Rogers notched his first victory in 20.4 secs and Merv Finlay 20.8.

Nice to see back amongst the boys again, Ross Stanford, Norm Williams, Geoff Laforest (after an absence of 2 years) and Ernie Phillips (now on the sick list). We hope you will be with us again shortly, Ernie. Mac Hughes celebrated his return with a first up victory and, last but not least, Fred Daly, our member for Grayndler, certainly hit the limelight after his return from Soviet Russia, about whom the writer will wager that he will always win out in a battle of words.

The "Gestapo" were indeed honoured when Harry Pill and Dick Dowling presented new coats for their own personal use in the Pool. (Thanks Boys.) Jim Comans reckons it won't be long now before Dick gets that extra second.

It has been very pleasing to see our popular Chairman Frank Carberry an interested spectator at the pool each week. Do a time trial Frank and show the present generation that the old timers can still dish it out.

Our crooked swimmer (only in relation to his inability to steer a straight course) Bruce Chiene was interviewed after his smashing victory. Bruce promises to wield the whip in his left foot in future so prepare for fireworks.

J. O. Dexter has had his appendix removed, so look out for record breaking times. Without that extra weight John certainly will be a force to contend with both in the swimming and handball events. We are pleased to report that John is making excellent progress and will take his place on the starting board at an early date.

It is always a pleasure to welcome new members among whom were John Tuit, son of Perce Tuit of Kreisler fame, Terry Forrest, Charlie Coppa and Bruce Galea. Bruce is not only a 20 sec. man in the water but has been handicapped on minus (7) seven in the Handball. In the words of our own Norm Rogers and Eddie Davis he is "The best handballer in the world."

Our popular handicapper Clive Hoole has been seen wearing a smile a yard wide of late. Some of the finishes have been closer than a bee's knee what with several poor blokes having been penalised over the last five weeks, including Merv Finlay, Jack Levy (2 seconds), John Tuit, Cliff Shaffran and Barry Aboud. Then on November 21st, a red letter day in swimming history, Tattersall's "Clarence the Clocker" took a second off Col Bowes (the roar from the crowd nearly brought the roof down), Mick Shehadie, Bill Kendall, Paul Blake, Terry Forrest and Ken Glass. Sticks and stones will break your bones but words will never hurt you Sam.

The Christmas scramble is to be held on Thursday, December 21st, and our honorary collector will be on your backs early to make this a bumper presentation day for all.

Unfortunately our genial and hard working Honorary Secretary, Jack Dexter, will be missing for the next couple of weeks. Jack has been ordered by his Medico to lie up at home for a few weeks so as to enable him to create a reserve of energy to carry over the Christmas festivities. Have a good rest Jack and don't worry. We'll all be looking forward to your return in the very near future.

### RESULTS

24th October—40 yards Handicap, 1st Division Final: K. Glass (25) 1, J. Devitt (18) 2, J. Comans (26) 3. Time 24.9 secs. 2nd Division Final: J. Levy (27) 1, D. Landa (24) 2, C. L. Bear (25) 3. Time 24.9 secs. 3rd Division Final: J. McNally (25) 1, J. Tuit (23) and K. Humphery (21), 2. Time 24.1 secs. 4th Division Final: C. Shaffran (23) 1, T. Forrest (24) 2, D. Morrissey (24) 3. Time 21.5 secs.

31st October—80 yards Brace Relay Handicap. 1st Division Final: R. Harris and B. Aboud (48) 1, D. Kent and C. L. Bear (52) 2, G. Nock and R. Lane (43) 3. Time 45.2 secs. 2nd Division Final: D. Emanuel and J. McNally (44) 1, P. Blake and R. Bowerman (46) 2,

B. Chiene and T. Hellmrich (52) 3 Time 41.8 secs.

7th November—40 yards Handicap. 1st Division Final: R. Bowerman (26) 1, K. Glass (25) 2, C. L. Bear (25) 3. Time 25.5 secs. 2nd Division Final: B. Aboud (26) 1, C. Bowes (25) 2, H. Bate (31) 3. Time 24.6 secs.

14th November—80 yards Brace Relay Handicap. 1st Division Final: R. Harris and T. Forrest (46) 1, G. Nock and F. Harvie (45) 2, J. Levy and S. Kay (52) 3. Time 43.8 secs. 2nd Division Final: F. Miller and B. Chiene (51) 1, B. Henry and S. Heaton (48) 2, J. Devitt and B. Aboud (43) 3. Time 49.6 secs.

21st November—40 yards Handicap.
1st Division Final: T. Forrest (24) 1,
N. Rogers (21) 2, S. Sernack (24) 3.
Time 22.8 secs. 2nd Division Final: C.
Bowes (25) 1, J. Comans (26) 2, H. Bate (31) 3. Time 23.6 secs. 3rd Division
Final: W. Kendall (24) 1, P. Blake (20)
2, S. Heaton (24) 3. Time 18.8 secs.

## OCTOBER-NOVEMBER POINT SCORE

This series resulted: C. L. Bear (25 points) 1, R. Harris and J. McNally (24) 2, B. Aboud and C. Shaffran (22) 4, R. Bowerman (21) 6, J. Devitt and K. Packer (19½) 7, P. Blake, T. Hellmrich, D. Morrissey and K. Glass (18) 9, C. Bowes and B. Henry (17) 13, B. Chiene and F. Miller (16) 15.

## NOVEMBER-DECEMBER POINT SCORE

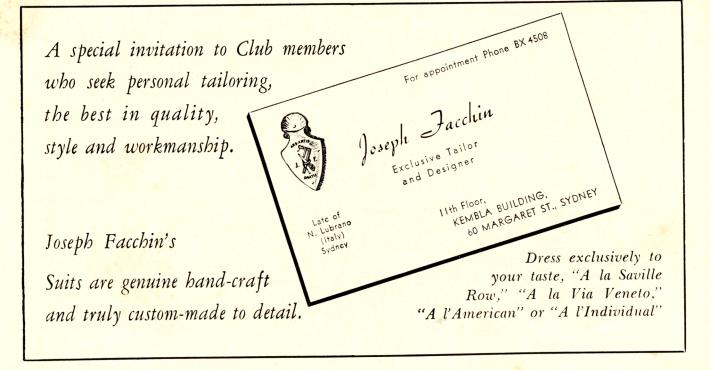
With two events to complete it the leaders in this series are: T. Forrest 16, R. Harris 13, S. Heaton 12½, P. Blake 11, J. Devitt 11, F. Harvie 10, S. Kay 10, G. Nock 10, N. Rogers 10, J. Comans 9½, B. Aboud 9, K. Glass 9, J. Levy 9, S. Sernack 9.

## "NATIVE SON" POINT SCORE

The leaders in this series, for all points scored during the season, are: R. Harris 37, C. L. Bear 33, B. Aboud 31, J. Devitt 30½, R. Bowerman 29, P. Blake 29, K. Glass 27, S. Heaton 25½, C. Bowes 25, T. Forrest 25, J. McNally 24, B. Henry 24, J. Comans 24, B. Chiene 24, N. Rogers 23½, K. Humphery 22½, S. Kay 22½, K. Packer 22½, C. Shaffran 22, D. Keating 21½, H. Bate 21½, J. Levy 21, T. Hellmrich 21, F. Harvie 21, F. Miller 20, D. Morrissey 18, R. Dowling 17, S. Sernack 16½, R. Lane 14, D. Kent 14.

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